

## CLAIM AMENDMENTS

The following is a complete list of claims. The claims below replace all prior versions of the claims in the application. Please amend claims 1 – 5, 8, 14 – 16, and 18; cancel claims 6, 7, 10, 11, and 17; and add claims 19 – 26.

1. (Currently Amended) A coupler for releasably fastening a computer peripheral device to another device, the coupler comprising:
  - a first portion operable to engage the computer peripheral device; ~~and~~
  - a second portion operable to engage the other device; and
  - a body for joining the first portion to the second portion and that is inoperable to couple an electrical signal from one of the devices to the other device.
2. (Currently Amended) The coupler of claim 1 wherein the first portion is insertable into a complimentary receptacle ~~connector~~ of the computer peripheral device.
3. (Currently Amended) The coupler of claim 1 wherein the second portion is insertable into a complimentary receptacle ~~connector~~ of the other device.
4. (Currently Amended) A computer peripheral device, comprising:
  - a housing; and
  - ~~a connector that is operable to releasably mount the computer peripheral device to another device, and that includes~~
    - a first portion operable to engage the other computer peripheral device, and
    - a body for joining the first portion to the housing and that does not include electronic circuitry.
5. (Currently Amended) The device of claim 4 ~~claim 6~~ wherein the first portion is insertable into ~~connector~~ includes ~~a receptacle operable to receive a complimentary~~ receptacle ~~portion of the other device~~ ~~a coupler.~~
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8. (Currently Amended) An electronic system comprising:
  - a first computer peripheral device; and
  - a second device; and
  - a coupler for releasably mounting able to the first computer peripheral device to the second device, and including:
    - a first portion operable to engage the first computer peripheral device;
    - a second portion operable to engage the second device; and
    - a body for joining the first portion to the second portion and that inoperable to couple an electrical signal from one of the devices to the other device.
9. (Original) The system of claim 8 wherein the second device is releasably mountable on top of the first device.
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12. (Original) The system of claim 8 wherein the second device comprises another computer peripheral device.
13. (Original) The system of claim 8 wherein the second device comprises a computer housing.
14. (Currently Amended) A method for mounting a computer peripheral device to another device, the method comprising:
  - inserting a first portion of a coupler into a complimentary receptacle of one of the devices;
  - inserting a second portion of the coupler into a complimentary receptacle of the remaining device;
  - joining the second portion to the first portion with a body of the coupler, wherein the body is inoperable to couple an electrical signal from one of the devices to the other device; and

- ~~fastening the computer peripheral device to the other device; and~~  
placing the fastened devices in a desired location.
15. (Currently Amended) The method of claim 14 wherein placing the devices at a desired location includes placing one of the devices on a housing of a computer ~~system.~~ system
16. (Currently Amended) The method of claim 15 further comprising fastening at least one of the devices to the housing. ~~housing~~
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18. (Currently Amended) A method for mounting a computer peripheral device to another device, the method comprising:  
inserting a first portion of a connector of the other device into a  
complimentary receptacle of the computer peripheral device;  
joining the first portion to a housing of the other device with a body of the  
connector, wherein the body does not include electronic circuitry; and  
placing the devices in a desired location.~~The method of claim 14 wherein~~  
~~fastening the devices includes inserting a connector of one of the~~  
~~devices into a complimentary connector of the remaining device.~~
19. (New) The coupler of claim 1 wherein the body and first portion are one piece.
20. (New) The computer peripheral device of claim 4 wherein the body and first portion are one piece.
21. (New) An electronic system comprising:  
a computer peripheral device; and  
another device including:  
a housing; and  
a connector that is operable to releasably mount the device to the computer peripheral device, and that includes:  
a first portion operable to engage the computer peripheral device, and

a body for joining the first portion to the housing and that  
does not include electronic circuitry.

22. (New) The system of claim 21 wherein the computer peripheral device is mounted on top of the other device.
23. (New) The system of claim 21 wherein the other device comprises a computer housing.
24. (New) The system of claim 21 wherein the other device comprises another computer peripheral device.
25. (New) The method of claim 18 wherein placing the devices at a desired location includes placing one of the devices on a housing of a computer system.
26. (New) The method of claim 25 further comprising fastening at least one of the devices to the housing.